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For: **ORGANIC PHOTOSENSITIVE OPTOELECTRONIC DEVICE WITH  
AN EXCITON BLOCKING LAYER**

Enclosed are:

1. **33** sheets of specification, **4** sheets of claims and **1** sheet of abstract.
2. **12** sheets of drawings.
3. Declaration (copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (See 5. below).
4. Appointment of Power of Attorney by Assignees of Entire Interest (copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (See 5. below).
5. Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under 3. above is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.
6. Applicants hereby claim Small Entity Status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
7. Continuing application information:

This application is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. **10/212,661**, filed on **August 5, 2002**, which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. **09/449,801**, filed on **November 26, 1999**, now U.S. Patent Number **6,451,415**, which is a continuation-in-part application of U.S. Serial Numbers **09/136,342, 09/136,166, 09/136,377, 09/136,165** and **09/136,164**, all filed on **August 19, 1998**, now U.S. Patent Numbers **6,352,777, 6,297,495, 6,278,055, 6,198,092** and **6,198,091**, respectively.

8. Other enclosures:

- a) Preliminary Amendment.
- b) Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.
- c) Twelve (12) sheets of formal drawings.

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